



AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Morton, et al.
 App. No. : 10/072,538
 Filed : February 8, 2002
 For : METHOD AND APPARATUS
 FOR NONINVASIVE
 INTRADUCTAL FLUID
 DIAGNOSTIC SCREEN
 Examiner : Jonathan ML Foreman
 Art Unit : 3736

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 P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

- (X) Amendment After Final in five (5) pages.
- (X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on August 11, 2004, Applicants submit the following response, of which:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.